

authorizing the establishment of a national historic site at Bent's Old Fort, near La Junta, Colo.; and H.R. 7279, to authorize the establishment of the Hubbell Trading Post as a national historic site in the State of Arizona. Testimony was heard from Representatives Chenoweth on H.R. 6851 and Udall on H.R. 7279.

DISTRICT ATTORNEYS' ASSOCIATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4 heard testimony from Senator Frank E. Moss on H.R. 8439, to incorporate the National District Attorneys' Association.

OUTER SPACE EXPLORATION

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Heard testimony from Hugh Dryden, Deputy Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, with respect to the 1961 space program of the Administration.

VETERANS' MEDICAL SERVICES

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Hospitals ordered favorably reported to the full committee H.R. 7966, to provide for the furnishing of needed services of optometrists to veterans having service-connected eye conditions. Representatives of the Veterans' Bureau and the American Optometric Association were heard.

INTERNAL REVENUE CODE

Committee on Ways and Means: Met in executive session on H.R. 9625, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 to make certain technical revisions in the income, excise, and administrative provisions. It was agreed that sections 8 and 9 would be dealt with through separate legislation. The staff was instructed to continue to study the bill. The committee will resume consideration of the bill at a later date following completion of action on H.R. 5, consideration of which is to be resumed on February 8.

Joint Committee Meetings

CIA BRIEFING

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Committee, in executive session, received a briefing from Allen W. Dulles, Director, Central Intelligence Agency.

DEFENSE PROCUREMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Defense Procurement began a series of hearings on methods of defense procurement and disposal policies and their impact on the economy, receiving testimony from Joseph Campbell, Comptroller General of the U.S.; Franklin G. Floete, Administrator, GSA; and Richard J. Newman and Ray Ward, temporary subcommittee staff members.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Friday, January 29, 1960

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated bill on filling vacancies in House.

Senate

Chamber Action

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Bills Introduced: 6 bills and 3 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2934-2939; S.J. Res. 156; S. Con. Res. 84; and S. Res. 263.

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Resolutions Reported: Reports were made as follows:

The following resolutions were reported by Committee on Rules and Administration authorizing funds for Committee on the Judiciary as follows:

S. Res. 232, juvenile delinquency study (\$150,000) (S. Rept. 1046);

S. Res. 231, Federal judicial system study (\$150,000) (S. Rept. 1047);

S. Res. 226, investigation of national penitentiaries (\$5,000) (S. Rept. 1048);

S. Res. 236, administration of Trading With the Enemy Act and the War Claims Act (\$65,000) (S. Rept. 1049);

S. Res. 235, escapees and refugees from Communist tyranny (\$25,000) (S. Rept. 1050);

S. Res. 234, administrative practice and procedure in Federal Government (\$115,000) (S. Rept. 1051);

S. Res. 233, study of constitutional rights (\$140,000) (S. Rept. 1052);

S. Res. 237, immigration and naturalization (\$116,000) (S. Rept. 1053);

S. Res. 238, antitrust and monopoly laws (\$425,000) (S. Rept. 1054);

S. Res. 239, constitutional amendments (\$25,000) (S. Rept. 1055);

S. Res. 240, administration of Patent Office (\$135,000) (S. Rept. 1056);

S. Res. 241, revision and codification of U.S. statutes (\$25,000) (S. Rept. 1057);

S. Res. 242, administration of Internal Security laws (\$239,000) (S. Rept. 1058).

Also for other committees as follows:

S. Res. 250, \$185,000 for Committee on Foreign Relations to study U.S. foreign policy (S. Rept. 1059);

S. Res. 248, \$125,000 for Subcommittee on National Policy Machinery of Committee on Government Operations (S. Rept. 1060);

S. Res. 246, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of Committee on Government Operations (\$275,000) (S. Rept. 1061);

S. Res. 245, providing assistance to Members of Senate in the discharge of their responsibilities in connection with visits to the U.S. by foreign dignitaries (\$5,000) (S. Rept. 1062);

S. Res. 261, Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee of Armed Services Committee (\$190,000) (S. Rept. 1063);

S. Con. Res. 82, providing \$25,000 for Joint Committee on Washington Metropolitan Problems (S. Rept. 1064);

S. Res. 221, housing study by Committee on Banking and Currency (\$100,000) (S. Rept. 1065);

S. Res. 220, providing \$70,000 for Banking and Currency Committee to conduct certain studies (S. Rept. 1066);

S. Res. 230, providing \$200,000 for Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs to investigate certain matters (S. Rept. 1067);

S. Res. 209, authorizing \$75,000 for Committee on Post Office and Civil Service to continue certain studies (S. Rept. 1068);

S. Res. 225, authorizing \$125,000 for Select Committee on Small Business (S. Rept. 1069);

S. Res. 210, authorizing \$150,000 for Select Committee on National Water Resources (S. Rept. 1070);

S. Res. 252, to continue Special Committee on Unemployment Problems until June 30, 1960 (\$25,000), with an amendment (S. Rept. 1071);

S. Res. 249, providing \$48,000 for Select Committee on Improper Activities in the Labor or Management Field, with an amendment (S. Rept. 1072);

S. Res. 263, authorizing Committee on Rules and Administration to make expenditures and employ temporary personnel (Privileges and Elections Subcommittee—\$160,000) (S. Rept. 1073);

Progress Report of Joint Committee on Washington Metropolitan Problems (S. Rept. 1074);

S. Res. 208, authorizing continuation of employment of an additional clerk by Committee on Post Office and Civil Service (no written report);

H. Con. Res. 449, to authorize printing as a House document the publication "Facts on Communism—Volume 1, The Communist Ideology" (no written report); and

H. Con. Res. 457, authorizing printing as a House document a publication relating to the nomination and election of President and Vice President. Page 1580

Problems of Aged: Period for filing minority views on study of problems of the aged (pursuant to S. Res. 65) was extended until February 15, 1960. Page 1585

Authority To Report: Time for filing final report by Special Committee on Unemployment Problems (pursuant to S. Res. 196) was extended until March 30, 1960. Page 1587

House Vacancies—Constitutional Amendment: Senate continued its debate of S.J. Res. 39, to amend the Constitution so as to authorize Governors to fill temporary vacancies in the House of Representatives.

Pending at recess was Holland amendment to add new section providing that right to vote in national elections shall not be denied because of failure to pay poll tax. Pages 1594, 1598—1624

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:41 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CIA BRIEFING

Joint meeting: Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences and Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee of the Committee on Armed Services met jointly in executive session to receive a briefing from CIA Director Allen W. Dulles.

These committees will hold joint hearings on Tuesday, February 2.

RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee continued its hearings on S. 2549, to declare a national policy on conservation, development, and utilization of natural resources, receiving testimony from Mrs. Arthur Whittmore, League of Women Voters of the U.S.A.; D. P. Fabrick, chairman, Montana State Planning Board; Angus McDonald, National Farmers Union; John Curran, legislative representative, AFL-CIO; Dr. John Cover, University of Maryland; and William C. Hammerle, American Pulpwood Association.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

DRUG INDUSTRY

Committee on the Judiciary: Continuing its hearings on pricing practices in the drug industry, the Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee had as its witnesses T. F. D. Haines, president, CIBA Pharmaceutical Products, Inc., Summit, N.J., and Myron Pantzer, representing the Panray Corp., Englewood, N.J.

Hearings are tentatively scheduled to resume on February 23.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported resolutions authorizing funds for various Senate committees as follows: (1) Armed Services—S. Res. 261, authorizing continuation of the Preparedness Investigating Subcommittee (\$190,000); (2) Banking and Currency—S. Res. 220, authorizing the committee to conduct certain studies within its jurisdiction (\$70,000); and S. Res. 221, authorizing committee to study matters pertaining to housing (\$100,000); (3) Government Operations—S. Res. 246, authorizing funds for Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations (\$275,000); and S. Res. 248, authorizing funds for the Subcommittee on National Policy Machinery (\$125,000); (4) Foreign Relations—S. Res. 250, authorizing the committee to continue its study relative to foreign policy review, disarmament matters, and Latin America (\$185,000); and S. Res. 245, providing assistance to Senators in connection with visits to the U.S. by foreign dignitaries (\$5,000); (5) Interior and Insular Affairs—S. Res. 230, authorizing the committee to investigate certain matters within its jurisdiction (\$200,000); (6) Judiciary subcommittees—S. Res. 226, National Penitentiaries (\$5,000); S. Res. 231, Improvements in Judicial Machinery (\$150,000); S. Res. 232, Juvenile Delinquency (\$150,000); S. Res. 233, Constitutional Rights (\$140,000); S. Res. 234, Administrative Practice and Procedure (\$115,000); S. Res. 235, Refugees and Escapees (\$25,000); S. Res. 236, Trading With the Enemy (\$65,000); S. Res. 237, Immigration and Naturalization (\$116,000); S. Res. 238, Antitrust and Monopoly (\$425,000); S. Res. 239, Constitutional Amendments (\$25,000); S. Res. 240, Patents, Trademarks, and Copyrights (\$135,000); S. Res. 241, Revision and Codification (\$25,000); and S. Res. 242, Internal Security (\$239,000); (7) Post Office and Civil Service—

S. Res. 208, authorizing continuation of employment of an additional clerk by the committee; and S. Res. 209, authorizing continuation of certain committee studies (\$75,000); (8) Select Committee on Small Business—S. Res. 225, authorizing additional funds for the committee (\$125,000); (9) Select Committee on National Water Resources—S. Res. 210, authorizing additional funds for the committee (\$150,000); (10) Select Committee on Improper Activities in the Labor or Management Field—S. Res. 249, to extend from February 1, 1960, to March 31, 1960, time to file its report (\$48,000), amended; (11) Special Committee on Unemployment Problems—S. Res. 252, to continue the committee until June 30, 1960 (\$25,000), amended; (12) Joint Committee on Washington Metropolitan Problems—S. Con. Res. 82, to extend the committee through September 30, 1960 (\$25,000); and (13) Rules and Administration—original resolution (S. Res. 263), authorizing committee to make expenditures and employ temporary personnel (Privileges and Elections Subcommittee, \$160,000).

Also, the committee ordered favorably reported H. Con. Res. 449, to authorize printing as a House document the publication "Facts on Communism—Volume 1, The Communist Ideology"; and H. Con. Res. 457, authorizing printing as a House document a publication relating to the nomination and election of President and Vice President.

FEDERAL ELECTION REGISTRARS

Committee on Rules and Administration: The committee continued its hearings on pending legislation to provide for the appointment of temporary Federal election registrars (S. 2684, 2719, 2783, and 2814), and related bills (S. 2722 and 2535), hearing testimony from Senator Sparkman; Attorney General McDonald Gallion, of Alabama; and Thomas Harris, assistant general counsel, AFL-CIO.

Hearings continue Monday, February 1.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, February 1, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

SPECIAL SCHOOL MILK PROGRAM

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Dairy and Poultry re-referred to the full committee H.R. 9331 (as previously amended on January 22), to increase the

authorized maximum expenditure for the fiscal years 1960 and 1961 under the special milk program for children.

NATIONAL HOUSING AMENDMENT

Committee on Banking and Currency: Subcommittee on Housing concluded hearings on H.R. 9371, to amend the National Housing Act to halt the serious slump in residential construction and to broaden home ownership opportunities for the American people. Public witnesses were heard.

D.C. LEGISLATION

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee No. 4 ordered favorably reported to the full committee the following bills amended:

H.R. 7124, to require payment of tuition in public schools by nonresidents; and

H.R. 9737, to eliminate requirement that majority of trustees of D.C. corporations be citizens of the District of Columbia.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands ordered favorably reported to the full committee the following bills:

H.R. 3676 (amended), to convey certain lands to the city of Tillamook, Oreg.; and

H.R. 7279 (amended), to authorize the establishment of the Hubbell Trading Post, national historic site, in the State of Arizona.

The subcommittee also considered but took no final action on the following bills relating to public lands: H.R. 6290 and 9142. Representative Sisk and Department witnesses were heard in testimony on H.R. 9142.

COLOR ADDITIVES

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Continued hearings on H.R. 7624 and S. 2197, color addi-

tives amendments to the Food and Drug Act. Hearings resume on February 10.

NASA

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Heard testimony from Dr. T. Keith Glennan, Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, with respect to refusal of NASA to supply certain information to the committee.

HIGHWAY PROGRAM STATUS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Administration of Internal Revenue Laws met and received status report of the Federal highway program.

Joint Committee Meetings

DEFENSE PROCUREMENT

Joint Economic Committee: Subcommittee on Defense Procurement continued its series of hearings on defense procurement and disposal policies and their impact on the economy, after hearing testimony from Representative Whitten; Elmer B. Staats, Assistant Director, Bureau of the Budget; and Perkins McGuire, Assistant Secretary of Defense.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate debated bill on filling vacancies in House.

House adjourned out of respect to Representative Hall.

See Résumé of Congressional Activity.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1625-1659

Bills Introduced: 19 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2940-2958; and S. Res. 264.

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Condolence Resolution: Senate adopted S. Res. 264, expressing condolences on the death of Representative Hall.

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House Vacancies—Constitutional Amendment: Senate continued its debate of S.J. Res. 39, to amend the Constitution so as to authorize Governors to fill temporary vacancies in the House of Representatives, with the pending question at recess remaining the Holland amendment to add new section providing that right to

vote in national elections shall not be denied because of failure to pay poll tax.

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Authority To Report: By unanimous consent time was extended until March 15, 1960, for filing of reports by Committee on the Judiciary under S. Res. 52-58, 60-63, and 91, which have to do with studies of the following matters, respectively: Escapees and refugees, administration of Patent Office, juvenile delinquency, immigration and naturalization, administration of Trading With the Enemy Act, antitrust and monopoly laws, constitutional amendments, national penitentiaries, administrative practice and procedure in Federal Government, constitutional rights, revision and codification of U.S. statutes, and Federal judicial system.

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Recess: Recessed at 5:27 p.m.

Monday, February 1, 1960